

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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KRASNIC, et al.	)	Examiner: Krasnic, Bernard
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Serial No.: 10/698,111	)	Art Unit: 2624
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Filed: October 31, 2003	)	Conf. No.: 8918
	)	
For: A METHOD FOR	)	
VISUAL-BASED RECOGNITION	)	
OF AN OBJECT	)	
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**Commissioner of Patents**  
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**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

REPLY TO REQUEST FOR INTERVIEW SUMMARY UNDER MPEP 713.04

Dear Sir:

In response to the communication mailed July 31, 2008 remarks to the above captioned patent application are respectfully submitted.

## REMARKS

The USPTO communication dated July 31, 2008 states that Applicants must provide “the substance of the interview.” The following is Applicants’ representative’s explanation of a conversation between Applicants’ representative and Examiner Krasnic that took place around July 24, 2008. The final Office Action dated June 5, 2008 uses a notation for specifying portions of references that Examiner Krasnic is asserting teach the various features of the claims. For example, referring to the third from last sentence on page 4, the Office Action states, “see [0045], lines 2-4, [0051], lines 1-3, [0081],...” Applicants’ representative has never seen this notation before. It was unclear to Applicants’ representative whether, for example, the lines 2-4 were in paragraph 0045 or paragraph 0051. Applicants’ representative called Examiner Krasnic to obtain a clarification on the notation. Examiner Krasnic stated that the lines applied to the paragraph that precedes the lines instead of applying to the paragraph that follows the lines. Examiner Krasnic and Applicants’ representative did not discuss the embodiments recited by the Claims. Further Examiner Krasnic and Applicants’ representative did not discuss the cited references.

### CONCLUSION

Based on the arguments presented above, Applicants respectfully assert that Claims 1-40 overcome the rejections of record and, therefore, Applicants respectfully solicit allowance of these Claims.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative if the Examiner believes such action would expedite resolution of the present Application.

Respectfully submitted,

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